

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF: Atty. Dkt.: 2545-0441
SCHIAVI et al. Art Unit: To be assigned
Application Serial No.: To be assigned Examiner: To be assigned
Title: A DEVICE FOR CHECKING THE POSITION OF Date: March 11, 2004
A SPINDLE IN A MACHINE TOOL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows prior to fee calculation
and examination: